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SUBJECT: CSCE: RESERVATION ON FOUR POWER RIGHTS

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1. WE APPROACHED FCO (MACINNES) ALONG LINES REFTEL.

2. MACINNES ACKNOWLEDGED THAT SINCE FRG HAD NO OBJECTION TO US PROPOSAL, UK WAS PREPARED TO AGREE TO IT IN PRINCIPLE. UK, HOWEVER, HAS PROBLEMS WITH TIMING AND WITH PRECISE LANGUAGE OF PROPOSED DISCLAIMER.

3. IN BRITISH VIEW, OPENING STATEMENTS SHOULD BE GENERAL IN NATURE AND NOT DEAL WITH SPECIFIC POINTS IN THE TEXTS TO BE DRAFTED. PROPOSED DISCLAIMER WOULD BE MORE APPROPRIATE AFTER DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES HAD ACTUALLY BEGUN TO TAKE SHAPE, I. E., EITHER DURING STAGE II OR STAGE III.
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4. AS TO PROPOSED LANGUAGE, BRITISH FEAR THAT SOVIETS MIGHT TAKE EXCEPTION TO INCLUSION OF PHRASE " BERLIN AND GERMANY AS A WHOLE." THEY WOULD PREFER, THEREFORE, SIMPLY TO REFER TO THE QUADRIPARTITE DECLARATION IN LANGUAGE SIMILAR TO THAT USED AT THE UN IN CONNECTION WITH THE ADMISSION OF THE TWO GERMANYS.

5. MACINNES INDICATED THAT FOREGOING POINTS HAD EMERGED FROM CONSULTATIONS WITHIN FCO AMONG OFFICERS RESPONSIBLE FOR CSCE, FOR GERMANY, AND LEGAL EXPERTS, AND THAT UK EMBASSY BONN HAD ALREADY BEEN INSTRUCTED ACCORDINGLY.

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